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INFORMATION DISSEMINATION WITH  
USER MENU INTERFACE (AS AMENDED)

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Dear Madam:

It is respectfully requested that the attorney named below be advised of the status of the Appeal Brief filed on October 15, 2008 for the above-identified application. Please advise us of when we might expect to receive an answer from the Patent and Trademark Office.

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Respectfully submitted,

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